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Applicants David P. Tong  
Filed April 11, 2000  
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**REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT OF THE APPEAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.193(b)(2)**

Dear Sir:

The Final Office Action mailed November 18, 2003 reopened prosecution after the filing of Appellant's Appeal Brief. As allowed under 37 CFR 1.193(b)(2), Appellant requests that the appeal in this case be reinstated. Attached to this request for reinstatement is a Supplemental Appeal Brief presenting previously provided arguments and also providing arguments that specifically address comments presented by the Examiner for the first time in the November 18, 2003 Office Action.

No fee is believed due with this request, but any fee deficiency associated with this submittal may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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- Request for Reinstatement of the Appeal Under 37 CFR 1.193(b)(2);
- Appellant's Supplemental Appeal Brief Under 37 CFR 1.192 (original and 3 copies);
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